ELECTRIC LIGHTING MONOPOLY EXPRESSED WILLINGNESS TO QUIT

Proposition of United Illuminating Co.'s Representatives Rejected By Bridgeport Business Men-Battle Over Director of Public Works Much Pleases Repeal of Existing Statute Before Judiciary Committee Probbaly Thursday of Next Week.

The statute that it is sought to repeal follows:

'No person or corporation unless acting under authority from the General Assembly shall in any city or town of this State whose population exceeds 15,000, manufacture for sale any electricity for the purpose of lighting or power, but the section shall not prevent such manufacture for purposes of the business or for the use of the manufacturer, or for the sale thereof to tenants in the same premises where it is manufactured."

Thursday of next week or the followng Thursday at the latest the business interests of Bridgeport and other cities are to tackle the electric lighting mo- ute, No. 3,916, the text of which is givcopoly of this state and a determined en fight will be waged for the purpose of

repealing an obnoxixus statute now existing in this state. As disclosed by the correspondence of the Farmer from Hartford yesterday the representatives of the monopoly withdrew the bills that had aroused antagonism of business interests throughout the state, particularly of this city.

This action upon the part of the mo nopoly did not fully satisfy the busi-ness men. When the committee convened it was announced that the bills would not be pressed to a hearing as Judge A. B. Beers of Bridgeport, representing the electric lighting interests had expressed desire that they be with-Attorney Stiles Judson of Bridgeport, of counsel for the busi-ness interests, informed the committee that, while his clients did not object to the withdrawal of the bill, he desired that the regular legislative course in such matters be pursued and that the bills be adversely reported. The reason for this was that the very large and varied interests which he represented desired to offer a substi-tute bill in place of the present stat-

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TOLD AGAIN BY

WHITLA BOY

Mrs. James H. Boyle as The Woman

Whom He Called Mrs. Jones When

She Was Harbering Him After the

(Special from United Press.)

jury for the fourth time this morning by its most important character. Billy Whitla was called to the stand by the prosecution as soon as court convened, to continue the trial of Mrs. James H. Boyle. Billy has told his story before

Mercer, Pa., May 7 .- The story of the Whitla kidnapping was told before a

Kidnapping.

JAMES COX KIDNAPPING STORY **JUMPS BOND**

Policy Player Confronted by Jail Sentence Did Not Ap- la Crowded Courtroom Billy Identifies pear - Michael McMahon Forfeits Bond of \$250.

When the Court of Common Pleas, criminal side, opened this morning with Judge Walsh and a jury, the case of James Cox, charged with playing policy was called, but there was no reply. The court then called his bond of \$150. Cox was fined \$50 and costs and sentenced to 30 days in jail, in the city court, but appealed under bonds of \$150. The policy players were warned some time ago that if they should appear before the Common Pleas court on an appeal from the City court, when a lill entences them imposed upon them, that they would have to serve in the would have to serve to sentence. If Cox comes back it is robable that he will be re-arrested.

Michael McMahon, this city, who was

Michael McMahon, this city, who was arrested for indecent exposure in Beardeley Park some time ago and was fined 250 and costs and sentenced to three months in jail in the city court, and who appealed under bonds of \$250 forfeited his bond.

Julius Shield, this city, who had a mania for stealing bleycles, was given a fine of \$5 and costs and fifteen days

fine of \$5 and costs and fifteen days is all on the first count and the same were filled and the doors closed half an hour before the court opened. Mrs. Boyle were a vell that hid the slightly in the city court from which he appealed.

The big class initiation of the five local councils of the Knights of Columbus, arranged for Sunday at Eagles' Hall, has been postponed until Sunday May 23, when 75 candidates will receive all the degrees, including the very impressive and elaborate third degree. The work will be done by the celebrated degree team of the Brook degree. The work will be done by the celebrated degree team of the Brooklyn, N. Y., chapter, which is considered the best team of the order in the East. Accompanying the team will be delegates from the New York and Brooklyn chapters, while the New Harman delegates be on team and delegates will also be

Following the degree work, which will take up the afternoon there will be an elaborate banquet at the Stratfield for which covers for several hundred

FRIENDS OF MR. SEDLACK GIVE HIM MANY PRESENTS

treet, was pleasantly surprised by ome 30 or more of his friends, last rening, who called to constant evening, who called to congratulate him upon the occasion of his success-fully finishing his apprenticeship as toolmaker at the Automatic Machine dlak was suitably remembered by his friends who presented him with a handsome diamond pin, several bouquets of flowers, a fine meerchaum cigar holder and a box of cigars. Mr. Charles Zigler

Mr. Charles Zigler made the presentation speech. A collation was served by Mr. Sedlak's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Sedlak. Mihalcik and Sedlak's double orchestra furnished the

Less Winter Wheat To Be Harvested

Washington, May 7.—The crop re-orting board of the Department of griculture today issued the following

On May 1, the area of winter wheat to be harvested was about 27,871,000 acres, or 2,478,000 acres (8.1 per cent.) less than the area harvested in 1908, and 2,163,000 acres (7.2 per cent.) less than the are a sown last fall, 30,034,000 which includes 150,000 acres of wheat sown in Montana, not cluded in the December estimate. The average condition of winter wheat on May 1 was 83.5, compared with 82.2 on April 1; 89 on May 1st, 1908, and 86 e average for the past ten years of

average condition of rye on May 1 was 88.1, compared with 87.2 on April 1: 90.3 on May 1, 1908, and 89.1, the average for the past ten years on May 1.

ADVERTISING, **BILTZ SAVES** \$8,000 ON STONE

Stone Will be Unloaded With Steam Power, Which is Cheaper Method.

With Results That Follow Conformity To Charter Rule - Second Lot of 10,000 Tons Will be Ordered.

Director Biltz is going to save the city \$8,000 in buying crushed stone, ac cording to a statement made by the the figures as the arrangements have not been made for a second lot. He states that the first order of 10. 000 tons was purchased outside of the was ever purchased by the city before known. which, he says, is a saving of \$3,000 to begin with. He intends to save 10 cents more a ton by unloading the stone from the boats by steam. the past it has taken a gang of stevedores six days to unload a 600 ton boat. Under the new system three men will unload the boat in 9 1-2 hours. This will be a saving of \$1,000 upon the first half of the order. He in-tends to repeat the order in a few

In purchasing the stone the director says he advertised for bids, according to the ordinance, and awarded the contract to the lowest bidder.

LEGISLATURE AND CITIES.

Waterbury Republican.

The General Assembly has refused Bridgeport the legislative au-thority to buy the plant of the Bridgeport Hydraulic Company, which supplies that city with wa-ter. What right has any Legislature to refuse any city the right to own its own water supply? The same right that it would have to mill to water his stock. What the General Assembly should do is to give all cities the legislative permission to provide municipal water plants and keep its hands off thereafter. A city should not be re-quired to petition for this power, any more than for the power of constructing its sewer system. It is lucky for the cities that the cor-porations never thought of going into the sewage business.

LAKEVIEW REPORT **VERY GRATIFYING**

Supt. Merle C. Cowles Makes Many Im-to throw a lighted lamp at his wife, he did not carry out his threat, how-ever, but hurled the lamp at the mir-ror, smashing both. Captain Cronin,

The report of Supt. Merle C. Cowles of Lakeview Home for the year endexpression that weeks in prison have given her. She glanced frequently at sam White of Danbury was given a jall sentence of 30 days and fined \$75 and costs for assault.

BIG CLASS INITIATION

Brooklys Degree Team, K. of C. Will Work on 75 Candidates.

Work on 75 Candidates.

BIG class initiation of the five ing April 1, gives a faint idea of the town burying ground have been re-the effects of a "crazy jag." Wervalan was not in the house. not stop applauding. "This is no vaudeville show," he said.

In examining Billy the prosecution motive power for steam will result in saving enough coal to pay the entire gasoline bills for the year. In examining Billy the prosecution passed lightly over the events up to the time he was stolen from school and dwelt upon his stay in the Cleveland lodging house, where they allege he was harbored by Mrs. Boyle. Billy referred to the woman as "Mrs. Jones." "She had a little white hat on her head and a long apron with stripes like nurses wear," he said. Apron and cap were held up and the boy identified them. "She had red spots on her face," Billy continued pointing to her cheeks. A fire called attention to the dan-gerous condition of the chimney into which the exhaust from the engine led.

"Mrs. Jones showed me a picture in a paper and said, 'You see how hard the doctors are looking for you.'" declared Billy and pointed to the defendant. Mrs. Boyle faced him without a change of expression.

Belief that he is being made the scapegoat and that others should suffer with him for the kidnapping of Billy Whitla, drove James H. Boyle to make a partial confession today. He admitted that he had something to do

admitted that he had something to do with stealing the boy but with stealing the boy, but insisted that he did not plan the crime and that three others are equally guilty. Against his wife who was on trial today he said nothing. Balked in his effort to make his revelations on the stand, Boyle told his story to Judge Williams during the noon recess. He says that The report showed a very satisfac-tory condition of the farm, but dem-onstrated the immediate necessity of more room for the constantly increas-

ing number of inmates

SON, LIKE FATHER, CEASES TO SPEAK

DEATH SENTENCE FOR OSCAR SLATER

Edinburgh, May 7.-Oscar Slater

VENERABLE EASTON MAN **GETS DIVORCE**

He Was Married More Than 40 Years Ago and Wife De serted Him 26 Years Since.

Mother-in-law Was the Source of the Trouble-Anna A Vervalan, Pretty Waitress, Obtains Decree Because of

Husband's Cruelty. Ezra B. Meeker, of Easton, a gentleman of venerable appearance and long flowing beard, was the applicant in a divorce suit brought in the Superior court, civil side, this morning against city at 30 cents a ton less than stone his wife Betsy Meeker of parts un

> way back in 1865, following a pretty romance after Meeker had returned little town was glad to welcome back its soldier lad, and the more so when he took unto himself pretty Betsy Glover, the belle of the little village.
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> Things went on smoothly for a time but in 1882, after a visit from Mrs. Glover, the applicant's mother-in-law, Mrs. Mecker left her home.
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> Mr. Mecker left her home.
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> Mr. Mecker did not say that his wife went to live with her mother, but hinted that the mother-in-law had some-

ed that the mother-in-law had some-thing to do with the case.

Since that eventful day he has not

Since that eventful day he has not seen his wife. Several prominent residents of Easton, some even more venerable than Meeker himself, testified to the good character of the applicant. One of them remarked that Meeker's character was as good as that of any resident of Easton. Judge Curtis allowed the petition on the grounds of desertion. desertion.
Anna A. Vervalan, a pretty waitress

at the City Bakery was freed from Charles Vervalan of parts unknown, Charles Vervalan of parts unknown, Judge Curtis granting the divorce on the ground of habitual intemperance. The Vervalans were married in Pough-keepsie, N. Y., May 20, 1894. Their married life for a time was all bliss, but Vervalan took to drink, and when in that condition abused his wife. On one occasion he struck her with his fist on the back of the neck. The injury has caused her much pain ever since. She has consulted physicians, who said that a nerve in the neck must have been shocked by the blow. Oftentimes while at her work in the City Bakery, Mrs. Vervalan has fainted from the pain. Her only rellef is to use cracked ice upon it. She told the court that her husband has been confined in the Hudson River hospital at Poughkeepsis because of his intemperance.

Mrs. Mary Cambels and Mrs. Catherine Smelder, sisters of the applicant residing in New York told the court that they had never seen Vervalan so-ber. Mrs. Cambels saw Mr. Vervalan strike her sister, while Mrs. Smeider said that at one time Vervalan, while in an intoxicated condition, threatened ror, smashing both. Captain Cronin, Miss May of the local detective force, said that stead in Seaside Court this city, when the trial of Peter Kelley for poisoning his wife was on. The Vervalan homestead was almost a content of Naugatuck and Dr. I.F. and Mrs. Carroll of Naugatuck and Dr. I.F. and Mrs. Carroll of Stam ford.

The ushers were Thomas Bolger pierce Corden Wichael Wall stead was almost a wreck. Curtains torn, and things scattered about the torn, and things scattered about the rooms, and Vervalan was sleepin off bearers were all residents of the par

ALIMONY PARAMOUNT-TO DIVORCE WITH MRS. TAYLOR

(Special from United Press.)

New Haven, May 7.—The paramount issue in the divorce suit of Mrs. Lu-

like cap the women's dining room and the children's ward.

A new kitchen has been added to the building. There has been added to the building there has been added to the building. There has been added to the building there has been added to the building. There has been added to the building there has been added to the building. There has been added to the building there has been added to the building. There has been added to the building there has been added to the building. There has been added to the building there has been added to the building. There has been added to the building there has been added to the building there has been added to the building there has been added to the building. There has been added to the building there has been added to the building the building there has been added to the building the building the husband, Franklin Taylor a wealthy Water has been the Hartford the building the husband, Franklin Taylor a wealthy Water the present and many from other states, mot, administrator of the Hartford the building the husband, Franklin Taylor a wealthy water the word of the universe the paid before and after the divorce is granted. This became evident today when the case came before the Superlor to the paid before and after the divorce is granted. This became evident today when the case came before the Superlor to the paid before and after the divorce is granted. This became evident today the for alimony pendente lite.

EX-Judge Stodard, who appeared to the building Rev. T.R. Sweeney, Rev. John F. Murphy, Rev. Themselve today the form and the case c 1 was 11 horses, valued at \$1,475; 21 cows, \$735; 6 yearlings, 1 bull, 2 calves, 6 brood sows, 2 boars, 12 shoats, 19 pigs, 10 little pigs, 215 chickens, 2 ganders, 30 ducks, 2 turkeys.

The report showed a very satisfactory condition of the farm, but deminant tory condition of the farm, but deminant to the construction of the farm, but deminant to the contract for repairing the asphalt pavement in State street and Park avenue, started to work this morning on the diverge and part and a hearing on the diverge and part and p and a hearing on the divorce suit and the question of alimony was set for next Wednesday.

To End Strike

(Special from United Press.) (Special from United Press.)

Washington, May 7.—Royal E. Cabell, of Richmond, Va., has been selected to succeed John G. Cappers of South Carolina as commissioner of internal revenue. The fact developed to-day that Cappers' resignation, to take effect July 1, has been in the hands of Secretary MacVeagh for several weeks. Cappers is now in a hospital suffering from blood poisoning following an operation mastoiditis.

Plan To Electrify From

Jos Pockwik. 19, living with his parents at 89 Columbia street, has been acting strangely for several days. Investigate the Charities department was called to investigate. He found the young man docile but so reticent that he refused to answer the simplest questions although he apparently understood them. Whether the simplest questions although he apparently understood them. Whether from blood poisoning following an operation mastoiditis.

Plan To Electrify From Danbury, May 7.—A movement to bring about a settlement of the hat strike in this city at least will be taken is a strange one. His father was af-fected in the same way 20 years ago the local manufacturers will withdraw from the organization.

This tentative agreement has been brought about through the efforts of the Rev. J. S. Kennedy who has acted as an intermediary between the hatters and the manufacturers.

COMMITTEE WILL SOON MEET David S. Day, chairman of the com-

LARGELY ATTENDED

Funeral of Rev. Thomas Shelley Attended by Hundred Clergy of Connecticut

Waterbury Church of Sacred Heart Filled With Parishioners and Friends-Had Relatives in Bridgeport, Winsted and Shelton-Mass Chanted by Entire Body of Priests.

Waterbury, May 7-With the impressive and solemn ceremony of the Catholic Church the funeral of the Rev. Thomas Shelley, pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart, was held yesterday, the church being crowded to the doors with members of the parish and Catholics from other parts of the city, and a hundred or more clergy-Business houses of the eastern part of the city were closed during the morning, out of respect for the deceas ed priest. The altars in the edifice were draped in black and purple, intermingled with large streamers of each, while the pillars, sidewalls and also entwined with

The regular funeral service opened at 9:30 o'clock with the chanting of the litany for the dead by the entire body of priests, the chanters being the Rev. John F. Corcoran of New Haven and the Rev. Thomas Kenna of Bristol. This part of the service occupied 35 minutes, and was followed by the sol-emn high mass, in which the celebrant was the Rev. Father Carroll of the ford, first cousin of the deceased priest. The deacon was the Rev. Father John F. Murphy of Bridgeport, sub-deacon, Rev. Father Ambrose o Winsted, O. F. M., while Father Mur ray of Hartford, chancellor of the dio cese, was master of ceremonies. the close of the mass absolution was administered by Mgr. Synnott, follow-ing which Father Curtin of St. Fran-

One of the impressive features of the ceremony was the rendition of the mass by the choir, in Plain or Gregor mass by the choir, in Plain or Gregorian Chant. At the offertory the beautiful "Del Vivi," from Verdi's requiem mass, was sung by Miss Sara Wolff, M. J. McEvoy and David C. Bolger, and soprano solo, "Ave Maria," was rendered at the Communion by Miss Katherine Gloster. After the sermon Katherine Gloster. After the sermon the entire choir sang, "Abide With

Relatives of the dead priest, Sisters connected with the Sacred Heart Convent, and other Sisters from different parts of the city, together with some of the older members of the parish, occupied the center aisle of the church, while special seating accommodations were provided outside of the chancel rall for the large number of visiting clergy. The relatives and friends from out of town present included James P. Shelley and Miss Bridget Shelley of Winsted, brother and sister of Fathers of Shelley; Mrs. Mary Quinlan of Bridgeport, a sister; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Finn, George Finn and Edward Finn of Shelton, Mrs. Finn being a sister; Dr. and Mrs. Quinlan of Dalton, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ryan of Bridgeport; J. L. Carroll of Winsted, Miss May Hagerty, of New York; Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Carroll of Naugatuck, and Dr. J. F. and Mrs. Campell of Stam. J. J. Carroll of Naugatuck

Byrnes, Thomas Fenton, Edward Cul-Mrs. bearers were an residents of the ish, some of whom are members of the board of trustees, and were as follows: Henry R. Byrnes, Lawrence Morgan, N. A. McKay, J. T. Phelan, John F. Whalen, Thomas Owens and Thomas

> body remained in church fo some time after the service, following which it was taken to the depot, where Winsted in charge of Undertaker P. S. Bergin. The regular burial service was held in St. Joseph's Church in Winsted by Father Andrew, after which interment took place in St. Jo-seph's Cemetery. Most of the Priests of the state were

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PHOTOGRAPHS.—The good and satis-factory kind are made at the Black-man Studio, 57 Fairfield Ave.

of Danbury Hatters ENTERPRISE CLUB WHIST this evening, Old Glory Hall, 268 State St. Good prizes. a*p

> TO RENT .- Modern flat, all improve ments, No. 1229 Iranistan Ave. Inquire of The Stoddard Millinery Co. 183 Fairfield Ave., or on the prem-

AUCTION SALE .- Saturday night, '7 o'clock. Pawnbrokers' stock all un-redeemed pledges on hand after 2 years of hard times by N. Glasner. corner Wall and Water Sts. \$10,000 worth of jewelry, watches, diamonds, rings, bracelets, scarf pins, cuff buttons, musical instruments, grapho phones, records, antique copper and brass goods, machinists', carpenters and masons' toole. In fact, anything you ask for. All goods warranted as represented by Daniel P. Keane, auc-

CARD OF THANKS. I desire to express my heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors, to

the officers and members of Samuel H. Harris lodge, No. 99, I. O. O. F., to the Edinburgh, May 7.—Oscar Slater, alias Otto Sands, who was extradited from New York last February on the charge of murdering Miss Marion Gilcharge of murdering Miss Marion Gilcharge of age, at Glasgow, has been sentenced to death.

On hearing the sentence he collapsed in the dock.

David S. Day, chairman of the committee appointed to inquire into the need of investigating the Board of Charities, stated today that the committee had not arranged for its pre-liminary hearing, but would as soon as the members could arrange for a meeting the funeral of my beloved husband, John Sawyer.

THE BEREAVED WIDOW.

FUNERAL OF PRIEST PRESIDENT AND CABINET SIT AS A COURT TODAY

Secretaries Ballinger and Wilson at Odds Over Proper Interpretation of Law Concerning Withdrawals of Public Lands Present Their Cases.

Roosevelt Policy of Conservation Really on Trial-President Taft Will Get Opinions of Attorney General and Other Legal Lights Before Coming to a

Washington, May 7.—Probably for he first time since the Civil War the Cabinet at its meeting to-day listened hibits any additions to forest reserves hibits any additions to forest reserves Cabinet at its meeting to-day listened to a discussion of serious differences of opinion between two of its mem bers. Secretary of the Interior Ballinger and Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, who have been at odds over the proper interpretation of the law concerning withdrawals of public lands, presented their cases. The President's official family sat practically as a

It was really the Roosevelt policy of conservation that was on trial. Sec-retary Ballinger, in a recent letter to Secretary Wilson refusing to make certain withdrawals of land, requested by the forest service, which is under the Department of Agriculture, said that he considered such withdrawals to be extra-legal. He also charged that some of the methods employed by moreover, resented the imputation of unfair methods. Secretary Ballinger who was in Chicago when the facts in the dispute became public, wired his assistants to prepare complete data on the case together with a legal brief to substantiate his position. Secretary Wilson has also been collecting information. When the two Cabinet members arrived at the White House today they were armed with big bundles of evidence. The big question at issue between the two secretaries is whether ranger sites may be withdrawn in conservation purposes and this left the whole matter over and above board. The ranger sites wanted now were for the purpose specified. If he wanted them for conservation purposes he whole matter over and above board. The ranger sites wanted now were for the whole matter over and above board. The ranger sites wanted now were for the whole matter over and above board. The ranger sites wanted now were for the whole matter over and above board. The ranger sites wanted now were for the whole matter over and above board. The ranger sites wanted now were for the whole matter over and above board. The ranger sites wanted now were for the would not have hesitated to say so. The President expects to ask Attorney General Wyckersham and the other legal lights of the Cabinet to file written opinions on the merits of the whole matter over and above board.

or any new forest reserves in the sev-en northwestern states where these ranger sites were requested. Secretary Wilson, in presenting his case to the Cabinet, is said to have argued that Secretary Ballinger's, refusal to withdraw lands upon a request from his department was wholly at variance with what had been the control of the co withdraw lands upon a request from his department was wholly at variance with what had been the custom for years. He earnestly desired an interpretation of the law by the President on this subject.

Replying to the charge of subterfuge, Secretary Wilson is understood to have admitted that the ranger sites withdrawn under the last administration were really wanted for conservation.

were really wanted for conservation purposes and that the withdrawald were made in accordance with a prethe forest service in working out its conservation ideas were in the nature of subterfuges and in an attempt to do things not permitted under any law of the United States. Secretary Wilson in his reply said that the requested withdrawals were entirely proper and moreover, resented the imputation of unfair methods. Secretary Ballinger who was in China and the secretary believed as the secretary believed as the secretary believed as the secretary believed as the secretary believed to by himself, and agreed to by himself, been agreed to by himself, and and president Roosevelt. This bian had the been adopted because the administration had information that water power and this was the quickest way to act. These co-called ranger sites were afterwards withdrawn expressly for conservation purposes and this been adopted because the administration had information that water power agreed to by himself, and agreed to be a second and adopted because the administration had information that water power and this was the quickest way to act. These co-called ranger sites were afterwards withdrawn expressly for conservation purposes and the second agreed to be a second and the second and the second agreed to be a second and the second agreed to adopted because the administration had information that water power and the second agreed to adopted because the administration had information that water power and the second agreed to a second and the second agreed to a second and the second agreed to a arranged plan agreed to by himself, Secretary of the Interior Garfield and

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from 4 p. m. H. C. Baldwin.

TO RENT.-Half of double house, first floor, Liberty street, next to School house. Fred Widdop, Hollister R 7 d*

RENTS.—Of 5 rooms, all improve-ments, newly papered \$12 and \$13, 260 Bunnell St. Keys at Gilman's, 312 Court Exchange Bldg.

FOR SALE.-Guaranteed good horse kind, sound. Six years old. Fully guaranteed, doubly or singly. Grey mare, \$1.500 lbs. Price \$260.00.

RIBBON BADGES, Souvenir Badges Buttons, and Novelties Stamp Sup-plies, Door Plates, Enamel Signs, Window Letters and general engrav-The Schwerdtle Stamp Co., 41 Cannon St.

CONSULT MADAME MERTELLE scientific psychic palmist; and learn the source of your troubles, the se-cret of happiness, the road to suc-883 Broad St., 1 to 9 p. m. Ladies only. FOR SALE -Nearly new double har

ness, Boston side backer, made by Peck & Lines, \$40. Nearly new heavy farm wagon, used eight months. Price \$55. Can be seen at 367 Hancock avenue. R 7 s*p PUPILS joining now can secure vio-lin or mandolin free. Parents should start children now, so as to occupy the long vacation coming with a pleasant and useful study. Gilman

school of music. Court Exchange

I DESIRE TO RENT five pleasant rooms to a small family of adults, with whom I can board. House located in nice neighborhood, 9th district. Terms reasonable to suitable family. Address Q, this office. R 7 b * p o

SATURDAY SPECIALS .- 4 cans peas 25c; 4 cans tomatoes, 25c; 4 corn, 25c; 4 cans string beans, Shoulders, 9c; B. U. flour, 85c; 25 lb. bag Sugar, \$1.30; California Oranges, 10c dozen; Pineapples, 5c. The Coe & White Co. R 7 b *

PIANO BARGAINS at Removal Sale. -\$50.00 to \$100.00 saved on each new plano. Uprights as low as \$75.00. Square planos and organs at your own price; easy terms, only \$1.00 per week. Everything must be sold beweek. Everything must be sold be-fore we move, to our new store Fox's, 341 Fairfield Ave. R 7 b * p o

FOR SALE.-This week's special bargains of second hand pianos: One James & Holstrom, \$75; one Vose & Son upright, \$150; one Bradford (oak case), \$150; one Haynes Bros. right, \$150; one Gabler upright, one Bradbury, (walnut case), one Steinway, (ebony case), \$275.
Squares, \$10 and upwards. Easy
payments if desired. The M. Steinert & Sons Co., 915 Main St.
R. 4 r * 0

FOR SALE.-Columbia five-passenger for cylinder automobile, 24-28 horse power, 1907. Recently overhauled and in first-class condition. Has top, magneto, glass wind shield. Presto gas light, five lamps, new tires. Can be bought very cheap and demonstrated at any time. Call at Miller Motor Car Co., 554 Fairfield Ave., Bridgeport, Conn. U 26 . tf o

FOR SALE.—Tenement buildings 777 and 778 Pembroke street. Buildings to be removed from property. Apply Main Office, Bridgeport Brass Co.

WANTED. — Experienced clothl salesmen for Saturday, to help cle out the clothing business. The Gli ner Furniture Co., 1192 Main St.

WANTED .- Floor and bench moulders. must be good on jobbing work. Apply to The C. A. Dreisbach Foundry and Machine Co., 25 Poplar St., Nev R 5 b*o

FOR SALE.—Piano boxes. Make good chicken coops and ash boxes. 844
Noble Ave. R 3 d*o AMATEUR ACTOR WANTED in vaudeville competition for \$10 cash prize. "Entertainer", care Farmer R 4 depo

WANTED.—Tenor for the Washington Park M. E. Church. Apply stating qualifications and experience to W.F. Severn, 1876 Noble Ave. R58*c TO RENT .- 7 rooms, all improvements,

steam heat furnished, 590 Park ave-FOR SALE.—Building lots on Connecticut Ave., Holland Ave., Hollister Heights. William Broch, 870 Main St. R 1 d*o

TO RENT.—Flat 4 room, set tubs, etc. Inquire No. 79 William St. U 29 tf.o WANTED,-Experienced body machine ironer at once. Good Bridgeport Steam Laundry

CASCA-LAXINE TABLETS cure bil-iousness and constipation. Follow the direction. U 12 * 0

JAMES J. SHEEHAN, popular hatter, 974 E. Main St., has the goods. Call and verify. H 30 * tf o 1 3 5 BRATWURST, pigs' hocks, country pork a specialty. M. M. Nagel, 653 East Main St. G 7 tf* 1 3 5

NEW YORK BOLOGNA and frank furters, home made meat loaf, fresh daily. Peter Hron, 1216 Stratford Ave. U 28 * tf 3 5 o THE BOSTON CLEANING AND DYE.

ING CO., 187 Fairfield Ave. Our work the best. Our prices the lowest. I 16 * tf. o 3 5 WE DO THE RIGHT kind of picture framing at lowest prices, Standard Art Store, 1219 Main St., Stratfield

SAUSAGE that's home made, also liver pudding and blood pudding can be purchased to-morrow at Mark Nagle's, 652 East Main street, and John Porter's, 318 Warren St. These goods are made by Biltz at 95 State St.

H 11 tf. 1 3 5 HOT ROAST BEEF for Saturday or ROAST BELL to night at O'Connor's, East Main and Walter Sts. All welcome. Lager the finest. *tf. 5 a HOT ROAST BEEF for lunch at Mor-ton's Cafe. 158 Fairfield avenue, to-

morrow. Everybody welcom PRATT'S CAFE, 137 Fairfield Ave., is sure to have what you want in ales, wines and liquors. Do not forget the fine free hot roast beef to-morrow.

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during the noon recess. He says that he will repeat it and perhaps give

of Internal Revenue

names when he comes up for

New Commissioner

Billy continued, pointing to her cheeks
"She said she had had small-pox.

"Do you see Mrs. Jones in court?" asked the attorney. "There she is," declared Billy and pointed to the de-

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